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**RESPONSE AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION**  
**UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116**

Dear Sir/Madam:

This paper is submitted in response to the final Office Action mailed on June 23, 2010. Applicant believes that this response addresses each concern raised by the Examiner in the Office Action and that each of the claims is now in condition for allowance. A Petition for a three (3) month extension of time from September 23, 2010 to and including December 23, 2010, is submitted herewith along with the fee in the amount of \$1110.00. Applicant further submits a Request for Continued Examination under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114. A Request for Continued Examination is accompanied by the fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e) in the amount of \$810.00. Please amend the above-identified United States patent application as follows.